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**Re: Carl M. Koupal, Jr.**  
**MUR 5573**

Dear Ms Paoli:

I am writing on behalf of my client, Carl M. Koupal, Jr., subject of the above mentioned matter No. 5573 referenced in Chairman Smith's letter dated October 27, 2004. Mr. Koupal has previously submitted a Statement of Designation of Counsel to your office designating the undersigned as his counsel. The purpose of this letter is to request an extension of time to submit materials on behalf of Mr. Koupal. For the reasons listed below, a period of thirty (30) days would allow us to adequately conclude the necessary investigations and submit supporting documentation to your office. Such extension would, per my calculation, mark December 15, 2004 as the new deadline to submit supporting documents on behalf of Mr. Koupal.

I trust you understand and appreciate our need for additional time and will treat my request accordingly. Should you have

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any further questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me. Thank you for your consideration of my request and I look forward to hearing from you.

Very truly yours,



Thomas M. Bradshaw

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